

LATE EL PRESIDENTE QUILTS THE COUNTRY

The Secret Departure of General Diaz From the Capital City

FEAR OF INTERRUPTION ENROUTE TO THE COAST

The Heavens Alone Shed Sympathetic Tears as the Fallen President, at 2 o'clock in the Morning, Left Forever the Scene of His Long Triumph and His Sudden Abasement—He Will Pass His Remaining Years in Spain—His Safe Arrival at Vera Cruz Reported.

Mexico City, May 26.—Porfirio Diaz, to whom during thirty years all Mexico paid homage secretly left the capital at 2 o'clock this morning. Only a few friends whom he trusted followed him to the station. He was bound for Vera Cruz to take ship for Spain. In the distance he could hear the voices of enthusiastic celebrants who were acclaiming the new president, Francisco Leon de la Barra, and shouting "Viva Madero."

So carefully were the arrangements made for his departure that the details could not be confirmed until this afternoon. The secrecy was due less to apprehension of a popular outbreak here than to his desire that he should reach Vera Cruz without the fact being known to the marauding bands along the route. Travel between here and the seaport is usually over the Mexican railway, a standard gauge line with modern equipment. Rails along the route, however, have frequently been removed of late by bandits who were determined that Diaz, for reasons best known to themselves, should not leave the capital. They are reported to have harbored the idea that Diaz would follow the precedent of other Latin-American presidents and carry the national funds with him.

There is another railroad to the coast, a narrow gauge affair, owned by the government. Taking it for granted that Diaz would take the more luxurious route, the bandits would not molest it, and for this reason the narrow gauge was chosen by the former president for his trip.

The general should have reached Vera Cruz during the afternoon, but whether he has done so is not generally known. Presumably De la Barra and the higher government officials have been informed, but their lips are sealed.

Diaz was feeble from illness when he left home. A more dreary leaving-taking could scarcely be imagined. Rain falling earlier in the night and by the time he emerged from the house the air was wet and chilly. He was closely muffled, and to aid in his disguise he borrowed an automobile. The route to San Lazaro station had been mapped out over unfrequented streets. By a pre-arranged plan, at the last moment the police were scattered along the line. At certain points close friends of the former chief executive, including those to accompany him across the Atlantic, fell in behind his limousine.

Three trains were used, the first to act as pilot. Diaz's special followed, and some time later a third train with a detachment of the twenty-fifth infantry set out. The trains ran without orders, to prevent rebels along the line from picking up the news from the wires.

Just when or on what ship Diaz will sail is a matter of conjecture. The French ship Espagne was due to leave Vera Cruz yesterday, but she may have been held at the disposal of the army from Mexico City. The Spanish liner Manuel Calvo is scheduled to weigh anchor tomorrow, sailing via Havana to Barcelona.

A German ship, on which the Diaz party recently reserved staterooms, sails next Wednesday and the reservations have not been canceled. Diaz undoubtedly will make his home in Spain, probably in Madrid.

During the recent centennial King Alfonso conferred a title upon him and made him an honorary general of the army. Senora Diaz was made a lady-in-waiting to the Spanish queen. Diaz speaks only Spanish, and outside of Mexico he would find the most congenial surroundings in Spain.

The inauguration of Senor de la Barra, the provisional president, was a very brief affair, occupying but ten minutes. To spectators it seemed that he had scarcely moved down Avenida de Cincos de Mayo with his escort before he was on his way back to the national palace, his carriage smothered with flowers.

The oath was administered by the president of the chamber of deputies. The provisional president stood with hand extended and repeated the oath. It is not the custom in Mexico to use the bible in taking the oath, nor is the name of the deity used.

The provisional president remained at the national palace all afternoon, holding a reception. It was within five minutes of noon when Senor de la Barra in an open carriage, left the palace to go to the chamber. Infantrymen with full equipment, including knapsacks and blankets, stood in

OFF FOR THE HILL COUNTRY

Pea Vine Limited Leaves at 7:45 This Morning

THE HAPPY VALLEY FOLKS

Two Hundred Jolly People, Wreathed in Smiles and Decorated with Alfalfa Blossoms Are Ready for Start for Prescott.

Frankfort-on-the-Main, May 26.—Aviator Hirth, in a German monoplane, arrived here today, winning the upper Rhine reliability flight. The race, in which there were four competitors, covered a total distance of 246 miles.

Clayton, Ind., May 26.—Harvey Moon today shot and killed Oliver Wilbert, a constable, and then walked to the home of George Baldrock, a quarter of a mile away, and killed Mrs. Baldrock, a cousin of Moon's.

Nashville, Tenn., May 26.—J. N. Dickinson, former secretary of war, arrived here today. He will reside here permanently.

ELIMINATION CONTEST FOR INDIANAPOLIS RACES

It Is Certain That More Than Forty Cars Will Take Part.

Indianapolis, Ind., May 26.—Thirty-four cars qualified today, two were withdrawn and ten remain to make the elimination speed trials for the 500-mile automobile race to be held here on Memorial day. Special qualification tests will be given the ten remaining cars on Monday morning.

From the baggage car of the "limited" will be issued a special train paper called "P. P.'s and Q. Q.'s," the meaning of which expression is "Phoenix-Prezcott, Queenly Qualities." The principal object in publishing the paper was to print a list of the names of all on board. This was regarded as desirable as many would like to keep a copy of the paper for a souvenir, and more particularly because it would be found helpful to the Prescott people who will be looking for friends and asking everybody who does not know whether the friend they are looking for is on board.

To do that required the securing of the names of the excursionists in advance, but notwithstanding the local papers have persistently asked the people to leave their names at the Santa Fe office in advance, only fifty or seventy-five of them did so. It is clear now that the list cannot be published in the "regular edition" of the "P. P.'s & Q. Q.'s." It may be hastily thrown together this morning in an "extra," and it is possible the idea may have to be abandoned unless the excursionists report early. It is regretted by the publishers of "P. P.'s & Q. Q.'s," but the excursionists themselves will regret it more when they appreciate what a convenience it would have been to have the list.

The little paper will appear anyhow and will be distributed free on the train. It will be well worth perusing even if the names of the excursionists do not appear and it is guaranteed that it will not be burdened with matter so weighty as to interfere with the jollity of the occasion.

Up to a late hour last night some fifty or sixty names only had been listed at the railroad office, but that is more than could be secured in advance on the occasion of the Prescott excursion, which came down 150 strong. The committee are positive from their canvass that they have seen at least fifty more who are going and there is always a large number who decide to go at the last moment. There will also be a baseball team of some twelve or fifteen men and a large number of business men who feel that they cannot get away today will go this evening, so it is expected that by Sunday there will be more familiar Phoenix faces on the streets of Prescott than may be seen at home.

Among those whose names have been secured thus far are the following: Governor R. E. Sloan, Territorial Secretary George U. Young, Assistant Secretary Robert A. Kirk, Colonel J. H. McClinton, president of the Phoenix board of trade, Dwight R. Heard, Harry Welch, B. E. Marks, J. Fred Cleveland, A. Williams, C. J. McElroy, C. K. Thompson, Territorial Auditor, Mark Chapin Hall, Sims Ely, Sidney H. Stewart, C. P. Munger, Mark Dunbar, Earl H. Parker, C. A. Maudie, L. L. Steward, G. E. Chapman, J. E. Price, J. De Mulrein, Tony Bright, Harry Diehl, Henry Burke, Louis Melzer, J. H. Coons, B. W. Getsinger, Lincoln Fowler, H. N. Dunlap, J. S. Griffin, James Walker, O. B. Irwin, A. R. Gatter, Harry E. Pierce, W. T. Hicks, J. A. Hicks, J. A. Houseworth, J. Hall, Eric

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Madrid, Spain, May 26.—Pierre Vedrine, the French aviator, completed today his cross-country and cross-mountain flight in the Petit Parisiennes race from Paris to Madrid, and tonight he is the lion of the Spanish capital. On the lap of his coat hangs the cross of the Order of Alfonso XII, which is reserved for persons who have distinguished themselves in the arts and sciences. It was pinned there by the hand of the Spanish monarch, who at an audience granted Vedrine today congratulated him on his bravery and afterward engaged him in conversation for an hour.

Vedrine completed the last stage of the race of flight, 140 miles, in 2 hours and 45 minutes. The honor and emoluments of the great international flight all belong to him, for Garros is still within the fastnesses of the Pyrenees, near Andean, and Gibert, the only other competitor, abandoned the race this afternoon at Burges, when a strong wind and rain storm began.

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RESIGNATION OF MADERO

He Lays Down Office of Provisional President

HE ISSUES A MANIFESTO

Calls Upon Followers to Assist Him in Furthering Peace as They Have Assisted Him in the Prosecution of a Glorious War.

Juarez, Mex., May 26.—Francisco I. Madero, Jr., in a manifesto to the people of Mexico tonight resigned his position as provisional president, conferred upon him by a convention of revolutionists at the city of San Luis Potosi last October and called upon all Mexicans to support Senor de la Barra as the sole executive of Mexico.

Madero places his forces at the disposal of de la Barra and pays a high tribute to the character of the new executive, pointing out that he may well be considered "one of us."

The manifesto was Madero's last act as provisional president, and he will now refer all inquiries of the insurgents to Senor de la Barra.

Having relinquished a post which he believed would not permit him to enter American territory he accepted tonight an invitation by El Paso city officials to attend a public reception in his honor next Monday, following which he will probably leave for Mexico City to assist Barra, as a private citizen, in pacifying the country.

The manifesto in part says: "Fellow citizens: When by the San Luis Potosi plan of last October I invited you to take up arms to recover our liberty and political rights, you all concurred in my call and in six months by your heroic efforts, you have overthrown the dictatorial regime which for thirty-five years has oppressed our fatherland. The triumph has been complete and in succession there will be justice equally for the rich and the poor, for the powerful and the humble. Liberty has spread its broad wings to all Mexicans and, united fraternally, we will all work for the aggrandizement of our country."

"Having continued the revolution till its conclusion it seems I should convolve the general elections according to the stipulations of the San Luis Potosi plan but the war of fratricide which we have been obliged to carry on was not a triumph in the victory of personalities, but in the victory of principles. From the moment we triumphed and we saw a republic surely coming under the regime of liberty, Diaz and Ramon Corral resolving to resign and to leave the power in the hands of Senor de la Barra; from that moment, I say, it appeared to me that I should act in the interests of fatherland in putting a final stop to bloodshed and the war of fratricide."

"But considering it legitimate, the authority of the Senor Francisco de la Barra, inasmuch as he comes into power by the mutual agreement of both contending parties, it is impossible for me to assume charge of the provisional presidency of the republic and for that reason I hereby formally resign before the nation."

"Thus, as all my companions followed me when I invited them to the election of last June and afterward, you followed me to arms to recover our liberty, thus I hope now all will follow my efforts in reestablishing quickly the peace and tranquility of the whole republic to the end that very soon the Mexican people will enjoy that well being which is proportionately due under the new regime of government inaugurated today with President de la Barra who received so high and honored a post solely with the idea of serving his country, serving as an intermediary between the despotic government of Diaz and the eminently popular government which will result from the next general elections."

"To those who for so many years have been victims of tyranny and who fear some trick from their old oppressors, I say they should fear nothing. The people have already shown their omnipotence and before I resigned the provisional presidency I agreed with Senor de la Barra upon the necessity of Mexicans assuring the satisfaction of national aspirations."

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M'NAMARAS MORE TIME

Alleged Dynamiters Will Not Plead Next Week

DARROW ON THE GROUND

He Selects Counsel to Assist in Organized Labor's Supreme Struggle — The Trial Will Probably Not Begin Until Next Fall.

Los Angeles, May 26.—John J. McNamara and his brother, James, accused of perpetrating wholesale murder by dynamiting the Times newspaper last October will not be required to enter pleas next Thursday. Clarence Darrow, leading counsel for the accused men had a conference with District Attorney Fredericks and Judge Walter Bordwell, of the superior court, today, and it was agreed that a formal motion on the part of the defense for delay would not be opposed by the state. The trial of the labor leader and his brother, it is stated by both sides, will probably not begin until some time next autumn.

Darrow began preparations for his task by immediately choosing attorneys who will assist him in the legal struggle to free the accused men. Their names were announced today. They are Joseph Scott, president of the municipal board of education, former president of the chamber of commerce and one of the most prominent members of the Los Angeles bar, Leomonte Davis, a well known criminal lawyer, Job Harriman, the socialist candidate for mayor and probably, Leo Rappaport, general counsel for the International Bridge and Structural Iron Workers Association of which John J. McNamara is secretary.

District Attorney Fredericks said this afternoon that so far as has been determined he and his deputy, Joseph Ford will conduct the prosecution unassisted by special counsel.

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